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He has stock, and his opinion
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Smoke in the most beautious manner;
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And it is in Canada stated,
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All the fine cut brands for chewing,
That your teeth will never ruin.
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Pipes of brier and stems of cherry,
More than any man can carry.
It would take a week to tell you,
All the things he has to sell you.
While in town you may be stopping,
At the "Adelphi Corner, drop in.
Campbell you'll find at that location,
Ready to give you information;
Or to see you well provided
With what is by all decided,
The smokers or the chewers glory,
The best and cheapest in Victoria.

F. CAMPBELL,
Virginia Tobacconist.
Adelphi Corner. de3

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NOTICE.

Some more of those fine Large Fat
OLYMPIA OYSTERS
have arrived by the North Pacific for J. e Levy.
GO TO THE
Arcade Saloon
and give them a trial.
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S. DRIARD'S HOUSE,
Colonial Hotel Branch.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THE ABOVE Hotel begs to tender his thanks to his numerous patrons, and to announce that for the accomodation o the travelling public he has purchased the Brick Building formerly known as the

ST. GEORGE HOTEL,

which he has fitted up in First Class style.

FOR THE RECEPTION OF FAMILIES
In connection with his old and well known Hotel.
EVERY COMFORT PROVIDED. sel2

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By Last Express.

HENRY HORT,
GUNMAKER,
GOVERNMENT STREET,

HAS RECEIVED DIRECT FROM THE Manufacturers, Sheffield, England, a large assortment of

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Consisting of Gentlemen's Pocket Knives, Sportsmen's Knives, Bowie Knives, &c.
ALSO—A fine line of POWDER FLASKS, SHOT BAGS, GAME BAGS, &c. no14 3m

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For Freight or Passage apply to
R. BRODRICK, & CO,
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Estate of Henry Mills, Deceased.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST AND ALL Debts due the above Estate must be sent in for settlement on or before the 1st day of December ensuing, to the undersigned.
JOHN STAFFORD, Executor.
Victoria, Nov. 7, 1871. no4

P. EDDY,
Contractor and Builder,
CORNER OF FORT & BLANCHARD STREETS.
Victoria, B. C.
Work promptly and properly executed and satisfaction guaranteed.
no22 6m

Notice,
THE UNDERSIGNED REQUEST THAT all accounts due to J. Robertson Stewart be paid to them on or before the 1st prox.
WELCH, RITHET & CO.
Victoria, B. C., 11th Oct., 1871. oc12td

New Advertisements.

EX PRINCE ALFRED.

NATIONAL MILLS EXTRA FLOUR,
CHOICE SUTIL, CONGOU & JAPAN TEAS,
COSTA RICA COFFEE,
A & REFINED CHINA SUGAR,
YEAST POWDERS, COAL OIL,
CASTILE AND OTHER SOAPS,
GENUINE SWISS CHEESE,
CHOICE EASTER & CALIFORNIA CHEESE
CABLE TWIST, DWARF TWIST & GOLD-BAR TOBACCO.

HOUSEHOLD COAL.

Best Quality Only.
FOR SALE AT SPROAT & CO'S WHARF, BY
R. SEABROOK, Agent.
Coal Office, Store Street. no21

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SKATING RINK,
IN THE BRICK BUILDING,
STORE STREET opposite Cormorant.
RINK OPEN
From 10 a. m. to 12 noon,
From 2 p. m. to 5 p. m.,
Evening from 8 to 11 o'clock.
ADMISSION 25 Cents. no10

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GUNS, PISTOLS, RIFLES, POWDER
Shot Flasks, Fishing Rods,
TACKLE, CUTLERY OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
POWDER.
Hall's Best Rifle Powder,
Curtis & Harvey's Diamond Grain,
do do F
In pound and half pound flasks, which will be sold at low rates.
N. B.—THE TRADE SUPPLIED.
de8 G. HUSTON, Yates Street.

JANION, RHODES & CO.
Importers & Commission
MERCHANTS.
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Marine Insurance Co.
STORE STREET. oc27

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In Hogsheads and Tierces
In Bond or Duty Paid.
FOR SALE BY
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.
de1

Ex Gussie Telfair.
FLOUR.
COMMERCIAL,
IMPERIAL,
IMPERIAL FAMILY,
CHAMPOEG,
FRANKLIN, } EXTRA.
MIDDLINGS,
FOR SALE BY
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.
no13

THE FORTIFICATIONS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.
IN EXPECTATION OF
"A BATTLE OF DORKING."

The JOINER talks of good Tough Oak,
The SMITH of well Wrought Steel,
With which our modern warships
Are clad from Deck to Keel.
The MASON talks of Granite Blocks
With which to guard our lands,
Aided by staunch Columbians
With willing Hearts and Hands.

But better by far
Than all these together,
"Are you surprised to learn"
THERE'S NOTHING LIKE LEATHER
As used in the Celebrated Manufactures of

H. T. MANN & CO.,
SADDLERS,
Fort Street Victoria. no23

NEW BOOT STORE.

THE UNDERSIGNED MOST RESPECTFULLY informs the Victorians, that he has started
Boot and Shoe Making,
Near his Old Stand of former days, on YATES STREET, where he will make
Boots and Shoes to fit everyone,
of the Best Material. A Fit Every Time or no Sale, Best Work and Best Prices.
Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.
de5 FRANK BEEGAN.

J. WRIGLESWORTH,
Has Re-opened the Saloon, Government St., two doors from the Post Office, formerly occupied by the late Mr. McKay. The best brands of
WINES & LIQUORS
VICTORIA V. I. B. C.
no15 tf

New Advertisements.

SCOTCH HOUSE,
FORT STREET.

A. McLEAN & Co.
Beg to intimate that they have the Largest and best Selected Stock of

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING,
Underclothing, Shirts, Hats, Boots,
UMBRELLAS, WATERPROOF COATS, HOSIERY, &c.

They Import Direct from the best English, Scotch, and Dominion Markets; their present Stock was personally Selected in these markets by *A. McLEAN*. They offer them

AT WHOLESALE PRICES FOR CASH
To Make Room for other Large Shipments.

They would call special attention to their Stock of
MEN'S & BOYS' SCOTCH SOCKS
Being the only House in the Province that Import these Goods, which are acknowledged by all in the trade to be the best. oc14 3m

Government St.
Victoria B.C

Wm J Wilson have just received a large and superior Stock of Clothing, Hosiery, Hats, Underclothing &c &c purchased by Wm J Wilson in England and the Dominion and Selected Specially for this market. They confidently recommend the above goods to their friends and the public as they have been bought Cheap for Cash and can and will be Sold at Low Prices.

For the information of strangers Wm J Wilson beg to add that they continue the system of business adopted by them 9 years ago of marking every article in plain figures and making no reduction.

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FOR SALE
AT THE COLONIAL MILLS,
JOHNSON STSEET,
Baker's No 1 Flour
Middlings,
Bran, &c.
The above will be found a first-class article and superior to any imported.
N. B.—Cash bartered for Wheat and Barley.
no2 1m A. BUNSTER.

NAVAL HEADQUARTERS!
King's Head Saloon
AND CONCERT ROOMS,
Johnson Street opposite Oriental Alley, Victoria.
THE BEST BRANDS OF
Wines, Liquors and Cigars
Always on hand.
George Edward Smith, Proprietor. se8 1m

PRIVATE LODGING.
MRS. MAHONEY, of Broughton Street, begs to return thanks to the public for past patronage extended to her and hopes that it will be extended to her for the future. She has lately had the Bed-rooms refurnished and papered, &c. A first class Sitting room and Bed room, and two double bed rooms up stairs, are to let at present.
se30 MRS. MAHONEY.

$10 REWARD.
LOST, FIVE DEEDS OF TOWN LOTS. Whoever will return the same to me will receive the above reward.
AUGUSTUS CHRISTOPHER.
se27 3m Rock Bay.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

ROYAL
Lochnagar Whiskey,
From the Distillery of John Begg, (Distiller to Her Majesty the Queen, and His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales).
JUST RECEIVED PER "MOUNTAIN ASH," and for Sale by the undersigned in cases and quarter casks
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,
de4 Agents for British Columbia.

THORNE'S
Blended Scotch Whisky.
FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED IN CASES and quarter Casks.
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.
de4

DUNVILLE & CO'S
Old Irish Whisky.
FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED, IN CASES and quarter casks.
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.
de4

T. HINE & CO'S
PALE BRANDY,
FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED, IN CASES and octaves.
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.
de4

DeKuyper's Geneva,
FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED, IN GREEN and Red Cases.
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.
de4

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S
Oilman's Stores.
A full assortment, for sale by
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.
de4

Congou Tea,
FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED, SUPERior Congou Tea in ½ Chests.
de4 FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.

Blankets
For Sale by the undersigned,
Ex "Mountain Ash,"
2½ POINT WHITE AND SCARLET BLANKETS.
3-Point white, Red, Green and Blue Blankets.
3½-Point White, Red and Green Blankets,
4-Point White and Green Blankets.
de4 FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.

Boots & Shoes,
JUST RECEIVED,
Ex "Mountain Ash,"
BROGANS—NAILED AND UNNAILED.
Kip front lace Boots,
Children's front lace Boots,
Ladie's velvet and other Slippers,
Men's carpet and leather Slippers,
Men's stout grain Balmoral Boots,
Men's grain hide shooting Boots,
de4 FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.

Tin Plate.
I. C. 14x10.
I. X. 14x10.
I. X. 14x20.
Just Received Ex "Mountain Ash"
de4 FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.

A. B. Gray,
GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA
IMPORTER OF
DRY GOODS.
BEGS TO RETURN THANKS TO THE Public for the liberal patronage accorded to him in the past, and respectfully solicits its continuance whilst he is temporarily absent from the Province, during which time his stock will continuously receive additions from personal selections in the leading European markets. au1

R. Brodrick & Co.
UNION AND CITY WHARVES.
COAL, WOOD, PRODUCE, AND COMmission Merchants. Vessels' cargoes discharged with accuracy and dispatch. Goods, stored at moderate rates, and a general commission and forwarding business transacted.
Agency of the North Pacific Transportation Co. of San Francisco, California.

Notice.
ALL DEBTS DUE THE ESTATE OF the late John Wilkie must be paid to the undersigned on or before the 15th of December next, or they will be placed in the hands of an Attorney for collection.
W. B. WILSON,
Administrator.
Victoria, 1st November, 1871. de2 6w d& w

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE REMOVed their Coal and Steamship Agency Office to the brick building on Wharf street adjoining Millard & Beedy's store.
Victoria, 30th Sept., 1871. R. BRODRICK & CO se30

W. HEATHORN,
Boot & Shoe Maker,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
next to the Post-Office
HAS JUST RECEIVED, DIRECT FROM England, an assortment of Ladies', Boys' and Girls' Boots and Shoes, also English Kip Butts, Calf and Kip Fronts, Uppers of all kinds, Lining, &c. A general assortment of Leather and findings on hand. Also
A large stock of Boots and Shoes of his own manufacture, which he invites the Public to call and examine.
Boots and Shoes Made to Order.
REPAIRING DONE. oc14 3m

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

J. Clayton's
NURSERY.
PLANTS, FRUIT TREES, EVERGREENS, Shrubs, Roses, Lilies, Peonies, and General Nursery Stock.
Moss Street, near Government House. 1y

PACIFIC TELEGRAPH HOTEL
STORE STREET,
Between Herald and Fisguard,
VICTORIA, B. C.
Andrew Astrico - Proprietor.
THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The Table is supplied with the very best the market affords.
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining-rooms for families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per week, $5 50 to $6 50; Board and Lodging per day, $1; Single Meals, 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.
TERMS—Cash in advance.
A Fire-proof Safe in the House.
1y

DR. MUNG GWY,
FROM CANTON CITY,
PHYSICIAN,
BEGS to inform the citizens of Victoria that he has commenced the practice of his profession, and will be happy to receive calls from any who may require his services. Having had a long experience, he has no hesitation in saying that he can guarantee relief and effect a cure of any disease that is not beyond the possibility of being relieved or cured. His motto is, "No cure no pay." Call and see, and no charge for consultation. Fisguard street, near Douglas street. se12 1m

DUCK & SANDOVER,
Coach, Waggon,
AND
PLOW MAKERS,
West Side of Government Street,
Between Johnson and Cormorant sts.
Waggons of all kinds kept constantly on hand.
Waggon Material for sale.
Horse-shoeing and General Blacksmithing done with neatness and dispatch.
Plows, harrows, etc., made to order.
All orders promptly attended to and satisfaction guaranteed.
Terms moderate. 1y d&w

THE UNK WEED
REMEDY,
—OR—
OREGON
RHEUMATIC CURE.

HISTORY.
This Remedy is composed of the active principle of the Unk Weed, Eng.—Thaspium Cordatum Originis, Lat.—Indigenous to Oregon. Grows most abundantly and perfectly in Washington Co.

PROPERTIES, Etc.
It contains an ACTIVE VOLATILE Principle, extracted by Ether, and a bitter TONIC Principle, soluble in Alcohol.

Medical Properties and Uses.
It is the most sure and speedy cure for *Rheumatism, Rheumatic Gout and Rheumatic Pains* of all kinds that was ever introduced in the Materia Medica. THE UNK WEED REMEDY, as prepared by us, in consequence of the existing bitter principle, possesses the necessary virtue of being a

POWERFUL TONIC,
Promoting the Appetite and Invigorating the whole Digestive Apparatus, thus Building up and Strengthening the system, while at the same time the volatile principle, being absorbed in the blood, acts specifically on the Rheumatic Poison, removing it from the circulation and system.
There are a few remedies known to the Medical Profession which will remove the Rheumatic Poison from the blood, but whose action is so powerful in depressing the system of the already enfeebled Rheumatic patient, that their use has to be abandoned before specific effects are obtainable, hence the want of success in treating this prevalent, and in consequence heretofore incurable disease. Unlike these Medicines, already known, the

UNK WEED REMEDY,
though producing as powerful and as active effects on the blood and system in removing the Rheumatic Poison, also possesses a strong Tonic and recuperating element which admits of its continued use even by the most Delicate and debilitated. Thus we have the combination for the first time of these Two Necessary Elements in one remedy, which accounts for its Superior and never-failing curative effects in

Rheumatism, Rheumatic Gout, and Rheumatic Pains of all kinds.
PREPARED AT THE
OREGON MEDICAL LABORATORY,
By A. M. LORYEA & CO., East Portland Oregon.
Agents for British Columbia,
LANGLEY & CO.,
oc1d&w Yates Street, Victoria.

To our Readers.

Any neglect on the part of our Carriers to deliver the STANDARD at the proper time and place will be promptly remedied on application at the Publication Office, next door to the Bank of British Columbia, Government Street.

The Daily Standard.

Saturday, December 16, 1871.

Geological Museum.

We are indebted to a correspondent for reminding us once more of the advisability of establishing a Geological Museum in the city. It is a subject that has often been discussed in times gone by; but up to the present, without any practical result. The present seems, however, to be an opportune period in which to make an effort to secure so desirable and end. How it can best be done, we shall not undertake at present to say. That it can be done,—that the means can be had to do it,—we do not doubt. Under the terms of Confederation, the Geological Survey is a charge upon the Dominion. The survey has been prosecuted, and will undoubtedly, year by year, be continued, until the entire Mineral Kingdom of this Province shall have been explored, and fully described in publications suitable to diffuse among our people and through the world a knowledge of our mineral deposits, and especially those of value in the arts. With that great work going on to completion, possibly we ought to be satisfied, and not ask the Dominion to incur any further expense in that direction. But there is a probability that the Federal Government would not object to make still further appropriations to aid or maintain a Geological Museum in this city. If such were done, it would not merely tend to develop our mineral resources, but to educate our people in a branch of science too little known except by name, and seldom or ever taught in schools so as to make the student master of it. But if the geological surveyors were only instructed to supply us with specimens properly classified, and their native localities indicated, the Provincial Government ought to come forward with a liberal appropriation to second the formation of such a Geological Museum as would bring our economic minerals, as well as those interesting from a scientific point of view, under the notice of every one curious enough to inquire. The Province might even go farther—ought to do so—and add specimens of the Vegetable and Animal Kingdoms of the Province. But to stop there would not suffice. We would require a mineralogical cabinet, representing the mineral discoveries of every country,—especially of the Pacific coast. With the minerals of our 225,000 square miles of territory well represented—and all the world besides,—we might well afford to appropriate an additional sum for a course of lectures to be given annually at the Museum, on Natural History in general, and especially of this Province,—supplemented with such practical instructions in Mineralogy as would assist in making the youth of the country proficients in geology, and give material aid to our mining population in determining the practical value of such mineral discoveries as may be and will be made for time to come interminable. Whether in the infancy of the country, with limited financial resources, the Government would feel disposed to bear the whole expense, we are unprepared to say; but we have no hesitation in saying that if a Museum of Natural History were allied with the Mechanics' Institute of this city,—and placed under the charge of a curator or commissioners, the expense would be small, the benefit incalculable; and a more would be made in the right direction. However it may be managed, a Museum of Natural History, and especially of Geology, we must have. So the sooner some one will take it in hand, the quicker will the country reap the advantages. Who will take the initiative?

Probable Overthrow of Juarez.

Spanish newspapers from Mazatlan to the 18th ult. are at hand, from which we compile the following news:

On the 17th November the garrison of Mazatlan declared against Juarez, and in favor of Diaz for President. Juarez seeks to perpetuate his power by illegal means, has violated the sovereignty of the State of Sinaloa by sending electioneering reports into it, and has prevented Congress from examining the books of the National Treasury, therefore his right to the Presidency is denied, and also the right of Eustaquio Buelna to the Governorship of Sinaloa, and Mateo Majana is declared Governor.

A procession of citizens and revolutionists paraded through the streets with music, shouting "Viva Diaz" and "Viva Majana," and "Muera Buelna," (down with Juarez, down with Buelna). No lives were lost. It seems that nobody said a word for Juarez.

Gov. Majana, on the 20th of November, issued a proclamation that the exportation of silver in bars will be permitted on payment of an export tax of 5 per cent. on its value, calculated at $8 the marc, about $16 per pound avoirdupois. The total export tax on coin will be 4 per cent. These figures are reductions on previous charges.

Guaymas pronounced for Diaz on the 29th October.

On the 15th of October the Revolutionists took Durango.

Gen. Naranjo, a Revolutionist, writes that Nuevo Leon, Coahuila, Durango, Chihuahua, Sinaloa, San Luis, Zacatecas, Oajaca, Vera Cruz, Puebla and Tabaseo, have espoused the cause of the Revolution. This was written, however, before Sinaloa or Durango were on that side, and the entire statement is to be regarded with auspicion.

THE FASHIONS.—Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, of London House, received per express yesterday, a large shipment of autumn goods, amongst which are Alexander's gloves, millinery in all the new styles, including the Dolly Varden Hat, the popular novelty in Europe this season; Dolly Varden costumes, Dolly Varden sashes and caps; also choice lace goods, waterproof costumes, &c. *

☞ Memory presides over the past. Fell's Coffee over the present. The first lives in a rich temple hung with glorious trophies, and lined with tombs, but Fell's Coffee has but one shrine and that is every breakfast table. Its aroma walks the earth like a spirit and can be found for sale at every respectable dealer in British Columbia. Beware of spurious imitations. ly *

INVITATION TO FRIENDS AND LOVERS OF DANCING.—Remember Tuesday and Friday evenings, from 8 to 10, general practice hours in Mrs. Lange's Academy, Royal Exchange Hall, Government street. This Hall has been completely renovated, and is now one of the most comfortable and suitable places in the city for balls or parties. Any party of gentlemen and ladies wishing to form a separate class, can have an evening per week set apart exclusively; but there must be ten gentlemen subscribers to begin with, they having the right to choose their own society. Persons wishing to hire the Hall for the purpose of balls or parties, for a single night only, can be accommodated. Terms moderate in every case.—MRS. LANGE, Yates street. *

NO MORE WET FEET.—A. McLean & Co. are now opening their winter stock of Ladies' Gentlemen's and Children's boots; they are made of the very best English leathers; and as their stock is much larger than they have room for they offer them cheap for cash. *

New Advertisemens.

IN WISHING THE PEOPLE OF VICtoria a Merry Christmas, I beg at the same time to call their attention to my large and splendid assortment of the

Finest Family Groceries,

Comprising:—

CHOICEST MALAGA RAISINS, this Year's Crop, Received by Overland Railroad and the only ones.

Sultana Raisins, Zante Currants.

CANDIED PEELS,

JORDAN AND SHELL ALMONDS,
WALNUTS, HAZLENUTS, Etc.
SMYRNA FIGS, GERMAN PRUNES,
ASSORTED FLAVORING EXTRACTS,
The Finest Description of PRESERVED FRUITS,
CREAM TARTAR, SALERATUS & BAKING SODA,
That Favorite

REFINED CHINA SUGAR,

imported and sold exclusively by me,
CRUSHED A, S. I. EXTRA No. 1, Mo. 1 & 2.
The Choicest JAPAN, YOUNG HYSON, CONGOU and other TEAS.

MY GROUND JAVA COFFEE

acknowledged to be Superior to any other sold in town,
Clear Lake, Eastern & Homemade

CHEESE,

HEYWOOD'S BACON, HAMS, and LARD.

☞ My Stock is unequalled by any establishment north of San Francisco, my Prices are very low, and I welcome the Public to inspect the same before making their Holiday Purchases elsewere.

A. RICKMAN,

CORNER OF

Government & Fort Streets.

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NEW YEAR'S BALL!

A GRAND BALL WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE

ROYAL EXCHANGE HALL,

Monday eve., January 1, 1872.

Tickets $1 50 admitting Gentleman and Ladies.

Doors open at 8 o'clock. Tickets may be had of Mrs. Lange, F. Campbell, D. Green and F. Saunders del4

CHRISTMAS, 1871.

New Fruits! New Fruits!

CANDIED PEELS, &c.

MAKE YOUR MINCE MEAT GOOD, and if it is to be good, you must get the ingredients from

PROMIS & SAUNDERS,

The Celebrated Grocers, on Johnson Street, who received by last steamer from San Francisco and the ship Mountain Ash, from London, the largest and best stock of

MALAGA & SULTANA RAISINS, ZANTE CURRANTS,

and the usual line of Groceries ever received in the city. They have also on hand a fine assortment of

Wines and Liquors,

which they will sell either by the Bottle, Case, or Gallon, including the celebrated Preller Claret at $1 per gallon.

☞ Remember the address, Promis & Saunders, Johnson Street.

N. B.—All goods delivered Free. del5 1m

Royal Hospital.

SUBSCRIBERS TO THE ROYAL HOSpital are respectfully informed that their annual donations are now due, and will be thankfully received by J. G. Norris, Esq., Fort street, who is authorised to collect them.

del4 E. CRIDGE, Hon. Secretary.

A Card

TO THE BELIEVER IN BUNSTER'S RESOLUTION.

EDITOR STANDARD:—If the above believer will step down to Store street, he will find no more "smell" or anything else from the "98" Chinese corpses, than he would find from 98 preserved meat cans.

Yours, &c.,

del4 AGENT.

Notice.

SHIN KEE HAVING DISPOSED OF HIS BUSiness on Store street, to Kum Lee, requests that all debts due by the said Shin Kee, be handed in to him forthwith for payment, as he intends to leave by steamer of the 22nd inst.

(Signed) SHIN KEE.

Victoria, B. C., 12th Dec., 1871. del4 1w*

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECeived until noon of the 19th instant, for the erection of a bridge across the Goldstream. Plans and specifications to be seen at this office. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Command.

HENRY HOLBROOK, C.C.L. & W.

Lands & Works, Victoria, B. C., 13th Dec., 1871. del4

FOR PORTLAND.

THE NORTH PACIFIC TRANSportation Company's steamship

California,

CAPTAIN..... HAYES,

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E. G. WILLIAMS,

del2 Administrator.

Mechanics' Literary Institute.

A PUBLIC GENERAL MEETING OF Members will be held at the Rooms of the Mechanics' Institute on Tuesday evening, the 19th inst, at eight o'clock, to consider the proper means for Incorating the Institution, and for approving Bye-Laws for its future government.

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Proclamation is therefore hereby made in conformity to a precept directed and delivered to me, to all persons bound to appear at the said Court by recognizance or otherwise, to appear thereat, and all Justices of the Peace, Coroners, and other officers who have taken any inquisition, or the examination of any prisoner or witnesses, are required to return such recognizance, inquisition and examination to the said Court, at the opening thereof, on the first day of its sitting.

Given under my hand at the Sheriff's office.

Victoria, on the 11th day of Dec. A.D., 1871.

del3 A. C. ELLIOTT, High sheriff.

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As Peter has left in a hurry,
There's nobody left to make Tom & Jerry.
The people of Victoria all mutually agree
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MR. LEON CURTAT HOLDS MY Power of Attorney during my temporary absence from the Province.

F. GRELLET,

Oct. 9th, 1871. oc11 Wharf street.

ADMINISTRATORS' SALE.

The undersigned Administrators of the Estate of the Late

TUNIS BODINE, of Orcas Island,

WILL SELL BY

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At his late Residence, on

Friday, Jan. 5th, 1872.

The Right and Title to One hundred and sixty Acres of Land, more or less, together with the Buildings thereon.

Also at the same time, all the personal Property of the said Tunis Bodine, deceased, consisting of Farming Implements, 1 Yoke of Oxen, 1 Bull, 6 Milch Cows, 4 two Year Old Steers, 6 Yearlings, 15 Hogs, about 12 Tons Timothy and Oat Hay, about 4 Tons Barley, and about 300 pounds Timothy seed.

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Sums of $25 and under, cash; over that amount, ninety days credit, on approved security.

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ENOCH MAY,
WM MILLER.

Orcas Island, Nov. 30th, 1871. del2

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DR. BARNARD HAS had for SEVERA months the "Perkins Hyatt" or "Celluloid Base," the newest and latest material adapted to the mounting of whole sets of teeth; he is also using "Whalebone Rubber," which is rapidly supplanting, for single dentures or partial sets, the best vulcanites of the last 25 years.

We cheerfully add Dr. B's Card to our columns, convinced that his good taste and judgment, united to natural skill and ingenuity, sided by an extensive practice of upwards of thirty years, render his services more valuable and reliable than those of any other dentist on the Sound, Coast or Island. For details see daily Colonist.

Office and Residence—Douglas street, between Dr. Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store, Business Hours from 8 a. m. till 5 p. m. no13tf

The Daily Standard

Saturday, December 16, 1871.

Cariboo Intelligence.

Sentinel of the 25th Nov.

The returns from all the polling divisions except Omineca are now complete, and the numbers stand as follows:

Walkem	224
Hunter	159
Booth	154
Thompson	129
Evans	107

James Anderson, well-known as the author of Sawney's letters left Cariboo for his home in Scotland. He has been in Victoria for some time awaiting the steamer to San Francisco. A farewell to be found in another column, is published in the last number of the local paper.

Lowhee creek will soon have more than its share of steam machinery at work. The Victoria co. this week purchased the donkey engine from the Lane, Kurtz co., and the Black Bull co. purchased the extra engine of Meacham & Nason's saw mill, as their own engine, which they brought from San Francisco, will not reach Cariboo til spring. Both the above companies will shortly get their machinery started, and they will then be able to hoist all winter instead of waiting for six months for water to run their wheels.

The number of passengers leaving by stage is much greater than has been the case for several years. The cheap fares compared with former seasons probably induces more persons to take a trip during the winter than would otherwise be the case.

MINING.

William Creek.—During the past week has been almost a suspension of mining operations owing to the first hard frost of the season. The claims are, however, getting to work again. The Forest Rose co. started this week, their ditch being now protected with snow. The Ballarat co. are preparing to wash underground, and a number of the other claims are at work.

Stout Gulch.—The Flume co. have been washing a little during the mild days this week.

Lowhee Creek.—The Black Bull and Victoria cos. are getting their steam machinery ready. The Brown co. are getting small pay in their tunnel. The Russell co. are preparing to drift from the face where they stopped piping.

Lightning Creek.—The South Wales co. have not been washing on account of too much water coming from the worked diggings of the Lightning co. The Lightning are, however, about pumping out and starting to work. The Victoria co. have been obliged to take out their pump to fix it. They and the Vancouver co. are now, however, ready to start pumping again in concert.

Jack of Clubs Creek.—The Two Sisters co. are getting through the rock into the channel and are finding good prospects. The First Chance co. are doing well.

French Creek.—The Ambrose co. continue sinking the blind shaft in their tunnel.

Harvey Creek.—The Minnehaha co. have at last got into the channel and expect good pay.

THE THEATRE.—Carl Bosco, in his legerdemain acts—he opened last evening at the Theatre, excelled all predecessors in Victoria, in originality and ability. Madam Cora, who was good in her day, and in her own way, can't hold a candle to Bosco; the latter requires no gifts of twenty dollar pieces and such like, to make his house take. The conjurings of Bosco are, the greater number of them, new, and those who may visit the great illusionist will not be disappointed in having served up to them tricks that are a hundred years old. Let us not forget to mention, the subject of our notice makes no secret of his art, for he discloses most of the secrets of the profession; and any one who has a mind can learn the business on the stage, from our friend, follow it up on his own account, and make an independence. The Davenports too, in *their* great trick, are but pupils of Bosco; Bosco performs better, and all minus the aid of spiritualism. A matinee performance for children—large and small—will be given to-day, at 2 p. m. This will be the only daylight representation. Then, again, there will be an entertainment on this (Saturday) evening.

CHRISTMAS!—Aside from the sacredness attached to this word, are the most cheering old associations of "Christmas Carol," "Christmas Rose," and "Christmas Box." As if they were intended to enhance our joy and gratitude with the last bright gleam of sunshine in the declining year. It is with a degree of pleasure to ourselves that, from the care and attention bestowed in selecting from the Prince of Markets, seasonable and attractive mementoes, and especially BOOKS, that the result shows such an array of sensible and elegant specimens both for juveniles and adults so creditable to modern Publishers and Bookbinders. T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

SHADE TREES.—Dr. Powell sets an example to owners of property on Douglas street. This wide thoroughfare affords ample space for the planting of maple, ailanthus, or other shade trees. Joe Lovett and J. W. Williams have set out trees on Blanchard and Kane streets; Mr. John Spelde has followed suit on Meares street.

THE MEADOWS.—The machinery of the Kurtz & Lane Co. is about ready to start work having been carried on briskly for the last few weeks. Steam will probably be got up to-day or on Monday, Nov. 27th, and next week we expect to see operations going on in full blast, which will give new life to the lower portion of the creek.—*Sentinel.*

FROM BURRARD INLET.—The ship Rose M.—in charge of pilot McCulloch, arrived in Royal Roads late on Thursday evening, from Moody & Co.'s mill, Burrard Inlet. She will sail for Melbourne this morning. Mr. and Mrs Jolly, late of the Fraser river light ship go as passengers.

THE Otter not having arrived in port from the North, and being a week after her expected time, an uneasy feeling begins to be felt with regard to her. It is probable a gunboat will be dispatched to look after her, should she not come in to-day.

CUBA.—It will be seen from the telegrams of this morning that the Cuban rebels have resolved to aid the lawful government of Spain; that the insurrection is at an end, we firmly hope.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.—The Enterprise left at 7 o'clock, yesterday morning, for New Westminster Amongst her passengers were were Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Clarke, Capt. Irving and Mr. R. B. McMicking.

THE raffle of the photographs, etc., to-day at Mr. Norris' gallery, will come off at 1 p. m. precisely. We don't know if there are any tickets remain unsold.

FOR PUGET SOUND.—The steamers Etta White and North Pacific left yesterday morning, the former for Freeport, the latter on her usual trip up the Sound.

THE California left for Nanaimo yesterday morning at 7. She will return on Tuesday for freight and passengers, and sail for Portland about Wednesday.

From Omineca.

SUFFERING ON THE WAY.

The *Sentinel* of the 25th of November, delivered only yesterday, gives the following:

A large number of miners from Omineca have arrived at Quesnelmouth within the last few days. T. Hutchinson has gone down with 18 mules out of a train of 86, and other packers have lost a great many animals. As it was known that a number of men were on the way down short of provisions, the citizens of Quesnelmouth raised a subscription, and Mr. D. Robertson, who had recently arrived from above, volunteered to go out with a party of Indians loaded with food. They travelled 60 miles on the road, supplying quite a number of men, whom they met, with much needed articles. One poor fellow—an Italian—was met almost exhausted. On Mr. Robertson's giving him some bread and cheese, he burst into tears, and pulling a one hundred dollar bill out of his pocket, offered it to his benefactor, who in all probability had saved his life. Some of the provisions were tied to a tree with a notice, and on returning to Quesnelmouth the Indians were sent out on another errand of mercy. A large number of men took passage in Shep's large boat at Fort St James, but the boat was caught in the ice near Fort St. George. Messrs Barlow, Dunlevy, Sylvester, and a few others, reached Quesnelmouth in a canoe after much difficulty, having been obliged to make a good many portages. The remaining passengers were building rafts. A canoe with provisions had been sent up the river to their relief

GERMANSEN CREEK, Oct, 21—Mining operations are about closed for the season. On the 19th we had quite a fall of snow, winding up with hard frost. The miners are leaving for winter quarters, and I do not think that over a hundred men will winter here. The claims were laid over on the 15th. Very few claims are working at present, but great hopes are entertained of next season's mining in the section of country around about Mansen creek.

Omineca will poll very few votes, as nearly all the voters have taken their departure.

Farewell to Cariboo.

Cold Cariboo, farewell!
I write it with a sad and heavy heart;
You've treated me so roughly, that I feel
'Tis hard to part.

'Twas all lacked of thee,
One handful of thy plenteous golden grain.
Had'st thou but yielded, I'd have sung "Farewell!"
And home again.

But, time on time, defeat!
Ah, cold and cruel, callous Cariboo!
Have eight years' honest persevering toil
No more of you?

Ah well, then since 'tis so—
Since Fate hath will'd I should no longer here—
I'll an submit, while disappointment starts
The hidden tear.

But still I'll picture thee
As some dear loved one in the days gone by.
And think what might have been, till dreamland brings
The soothing sigh.

Farewell! a fond farewell
To all thy friendships, kindly Cariboo!
No other land hath hearts more warm than thine,
Nor friends more true.

SAWNEY.

24th November, 1871.

POLICE COURT.—J. B. Hunt arrested for being concerned in supplying liquor to Indians, was remanded until Monday.

THE Prince Alfred had not arrived down yesterday, consequently would not be able to leave for this port on her contract day—the 15th.

THE Grappler, Capt. Deveraux, arrived at 9 yesterday morning, from Nanaimo with the ship Commodore in tow.

THE Etta White came round to the harbor from Cadboro Bay yesterday

THE telegraph line went down yesterday afternoon, south of Portland.

Value of the Pacific Mail Co's Steamers.

We find in the report submitted at the recent annual meeting of the Company a list of steamers valued among the assets as follows:

STEAMERS.	
Colorado	$ 750,000
Sacramento	600,000
Constitution	600,000
Henry Chauncey	600,000
Arizona	600,000
Rising Star	600,000
Montana	600 000
Oregonian	500,000
New York	500,000
Costa Rica	400,000
Ocean Queen	380,000
Golden Age	300,000
St. Louis	75,000
Ariel	75,000
America	1,017,942
Great Republic	1,058,234
Japan	1,049,434
China	1,006,282
Alaska	964,138
Ancon	167,502
	$11,843,532

The Company also own 1,668 shares of the California Dry Dock Company, appraised at $100,335. The following property on the Pacific coast appears also in the list:

San Francisco, including wharf and franchise	$931,819
Warehouses, San Francisco	133,330
Benicia	25,649
Oregon	2,367

Following is also the showing of property in China and Japan:

Hongkong, with wharf, storehouses	$170,941
Yokohama, with storehouses and coal sheds	62,317
Shanghae	8,986
Hiogo	991

The total assets of this Company are set down at $20,542,945.

A Patent Gas Company has just been formed in England, with a capital of $250,000, in $5 shares, which purposes to distil gas at a low temperature instead of a high one, as on the present system. By this means it is possible to use retorts, instead of retorts of clay, at a great saving of expense, while the gas produced from the same coal is 36 per cent more in quantity, and of 50 per cent. better quality than the gas produced by previous methods and the remaining products are also more valuable. There is said to be little or no sulphur in this new and cheaper gas. Such is the account of the invention which has been privately making way—the latest facts coming out regarding it being that a French Company has bought the privilege of using the patent in France for $500,000, and that works are being erected for lighting the town of Barnet, England, with gas at an early date, which will supply an experiment on the largest scale.

AUSPICOUS 1872.—Its present outline shroude in mystery like an impenetrable Victoria fog, settled upon sea and land, with a sky adove so clear and beautiful. Each consecutive year since 1858, has appeared in various forms, with the same pertinacity the announcement that Pocket and Office Diaries and Almanacs are ready for the Season.—T. N. HIBBEN & Co. 3m*

EMINENT CUTLERS.—Among the names of the most prominent manufacturers of cutlery are found those of Wostenholm, Mappin, Crooks, Harrison and JOSEPH RODGERS & SONS. The latter has for a series of years held the prestige for excellence, and has been awarded the prizes at the Industrial Exhibitions; and at present the sole importers in this Province are T. N. HIBBEN & Co. *

By Electric Telegraph.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY STANDARD.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

EUROPE.

MADRID, Dec. 13.—It is rumored that a ministerial crisis is approaching and that the dissolution of the Cortes is imminent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14—A dispatch from London at noon to-day, indicates a slight improvement in the condition of the Prince.

SANDRINGHAM, Dec. 14—1 p. m.—No further change is reported in the Prince's condition; hopes of his recovery are freely expressed, and the public feeling is more confident.

A report that Parliament will be convened in January is contradicted.

EASTERN STATES.

DETROIT, Dec. 13.—A convention of those interested in cheaper and better water communication between the west and east sides, assembled this evening. Resolutions and a memorial to Congress were adopted avoring a liberal policy on the part of the Federal Government in aid of a ship canal around the Falls of Niagara.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13—In the house, Hoar, from the committee on education and labor, reported a bill for the appointment by the President, with the advice and consent of the Senate, a commission of three persons to hold office two years unless their duties be sooner accomplished who are to investigate the subject of wages, hours of laber and the division of the joint profits of labor and capitol. Hoar proceeded to speak at length explanatory of the advantages of a bill saying that he was sure that the measure if understood would receive almost universal support of the House. A cry of discontent was growing up from the laboring classes. They asked this legislature and it ought to be granted.

The United States and British Commissioners resumed their session lately. The case of John Holmes and Hannah, United States Commissioners decided that the United States Court be held liable for the acts of rebels.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13—At 2 p. m. to-day, the Erie Railroad Co. restored 50,000 shares of stocks claimed by English bond holders. Certificates were handed to the Commissioners who transferred them to council for the defendants. The remaining 90,650 shares claimed by Gould and Fisk as their personal property are still held subject to reference to ownership.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14—Aekerman has resigned, and Williams of Oregon is appointed.

In the Senate Frelinghuysen presented a palition from the Venezuela Steamship Company asking redress from the seizure of their steamer by Venezuela. He said complaints against Venezuela might yet necessitate severe measures, on the part of our government.

Sumner said he had examined the question, and found his own country in the wrong. Petition referred.

Beckingham presented a resolution against woman suffrage. Referred.

Trumbul gave notice that to-morrow, he would move the discharge of the Committee on Finance from further consideration of House Bill repealing duty on coal and salt three cents.

CUBA.

HAVANA, Dec. 13.—A document dated Puerto Principe, signed by over 5,000 insurgents who have recently surrendered to the government, has been issued, it says we will in future adhere to the throne of Spain; we are now disposed to aid the government, the country failed to support us, and foreigners failed to send us aid. Spain is now sufficiently strong to maintain the integrity of her territory and all hopes of success are given.

Reports arrived from the sugar districts relative to the new crops are very favorable. The cane is yielding well.

The Home of the Snakes.

WHERE THEY WINTER AND WHEN THEY COME AND GO.

We condense the following marvelous snake story from an Iowa paper, which guarantees the truth of every word and gives the names of a number of distinguished public men of the State as additional vouchers. It appears that a certain Mr. Cummings owns a gypsum quarry near Fort Dodge, and employs a force of some twenty-five men in the stone. He has worked it only a year or two, but ever since he opened his men have suffered serious inconvenience and annoyance from the myriads of snakes that have a den in the crevices, and swarm in during the Fall and out in the Spring. The quarry has a northern exposure, the kind that is always chosen by snakes as a den, for the reason that it is not effected by the premature thawing and freezing of early Spring, as a southern slope would be. As soon as the weather gets settled in the Spring and the effects of the April sun is felt, the serpents begin to show themselves and the battle begins. From out the crevices and the nooks of the rock the reptiles swarm crawling up the slope of the bluff, basking in the sun or hastening away over the prairie to their Summer haunts. Now comes the tug of war; the foreman of the quarry is compelled to detail two men to fight the hideous things that the men may work and one is kept in carrying away the dead in a wheelbarrow and burying them so that the numberless festering bodies will not breed disease. And from all the surrounding country, the snake-hunters throug to enjoy the sport of killing snakes and in among them they go slashing and striking until the poisonous odor compels them to beat a retreat. Twenty-five snakes in fifteen minutes is a common haul.

The editor of the paper in question, in company with a number of other gentlemen, recently paid a visit to the quarry. The sun was just warming up the northern slope when the party arrived, and this is the description of what followed:

From the crevices the snakes were crawling in all directions, and "swarh," "swash," went the huge clubs of the two men who were defending their fellow-workmen, and every blow was the death of a snake. Just at our feet crawled a deadly moccasin, while to the right and left spotted adders and chasers squirmed and hissed as they twined among the stones or escaped up the bluff Directly in front of us lay a pile of dead serpents as large as a two bushel basket, while on the face of the sloping bluff were probably three hundred reptiles which had escaped the clubs of the men, and were hastening away to the prairie, their elevated heads and writhing bodies transforming the bluff into no mythical Gorgon head. Just above us on a ledge of rocks, was a huge adder; Mr. Cummings looking up a piece of rock, heaved it on him, pinning him to the ledge, but the snake was game; some three feet of his body was free, and gathering himself up he would leap full at us with all his force, hissing and opening his jaws in a way that made the blood run cold, and the next leap he made, a blow from our cane sent his head spinning a score of feet, and the bleeding trunk dropped to the earth below.

The snakes are said to retire into their dens about 2 P. M. every day, after—which all is quiet until the sun's rays again reach the quarry, when the same thing is repeated. Two hundred and seventy-five snakes were killed that day, the number for two weeks footing up 6,500, while it is supposed that ten times that number escaped. On the 14th of October the snakes commenced to return and enter their dens for the winter, when the same slaughter is repeated. The ledge of the quarry is twenty-two feet in height, and nearly perpendicular, and down that distance they crawl, roll and tumble, catching on a crag, and, with a twist of the tail, they disappeared in the dark crevices for their long sleep.

Last Fall the 14th day of October came unnoticed by the men; they were busy with their toil in the rock below. The foreman was half stooping, drilling in a rock preparatory for a blast, when suddenly across his neck dropped a monstrous spotted adder, hanging and hissing half his length on either side. On looking up they saw fifty or more snakes pouring over the edge of the cliff, and crawling down the edge. Then it occurred to them that the 14th day of October had come, and for the next two weeks swarms of snakes kept pouring in. This quarry with its den of snakes is worthy the attention of the curious and scientific. It has doubtless for centuries been a resort of serpents, for, at the bottom of the ledge of gypsum where it joins on the iron ore, are found the petrified bodies of snakes. How long has this twent-wo feet of gypsum taken to form? Doubtless ever since the waters subsided, the slimy denizens of the prairie have had their winter homes in these rocks, and there is certainly there today a curious subject of inquiry for the naturalist and scientific, as well as a subject of horror for those who hate the wriggling serpent.

Health of the Prince of Wales, and Possible Contingencies.

[Exchange.]

Cable dispatches from Europe represent that undisguised apprehensions exist with regard to the illness of the Prince of Wales. If it is believed that the malady affecting him is of a serious nature; this is not surprising, for with his death and the admitted illness of Victoria, a state of affairs may occur of a perplexing nature. Speculations upon such contingencies as the death of two personages are usually idle and of little moment; but in the present instance, remembering the social revolution that is going on in Great Britain, the subject becomes one of importance and interest. Should the death of the Prince ensue, the heir apparent will be the Prince's eldest child, a boy now but seven years old and if the Queen's demise follow, or the state of her health necessitate a Regency, it is then that serious complications may possibly arise. The second son of Victoria, the most popular of her children, Prince Alfred, is heir presumptive to the German Duchy of Saxe Coburg-Gotha, and the relations of the new Empire of Germany with England would hardly comport with a regency being placed in the hands of one who may at any moment be called upon to assume a position which would virtually make him a foreign potentate; while the other sons of the Queen, the Princes Arthur and Leopold, beside being much younger, have not yet done anything to ingratiate themselves in the public favor. Regencies, in the history of the country, have not been of the most satisfactory character, and one of the two instances of a Regency for an infant Prince is associated with one of the darkest passages of English history, the murder of the young King Edward by his uncle, the Duke of Gloucester, afterward Richard III. Though England may be gradually approaching to Republicanism, there are but few who will aver that the people, as a whole, are yet ready for so great a revolution in the administration of their affairs. A long Regency, beside the difficulty of selecting an acceptable personage, would not be calculated to endear the people to monarchical institutions. If now there are complaints that Victoria's seclusion there is really no Court, there would, under a Regency, be a costly monarch without an actual monarch, a kingdom without the gorgeous paraphernalia of a king. Unpopular as is the Prince of Wales, the friends of the existing state of things would much prefer that he should not yet be removed from amongst them, than face the difficulty of a long Regency, which must almost unavoidably become unpopular, and increase the distance for monarchical institutions.

An Angry Elephant.

[From the New Haven Register.]

O'Brien's Menagerie exhibited in Meriden yesterday, according to advertisement, at the usual grounds on State street. Just after the close of the afternoon performance, the great elephant Mogu took it into his head to enact a tragedy not on the bills, so walking manifestly out of the enclosure, he went for his keeper in a fit of rage. The keeper sought refuge under the cage containing kangaroos, which Mogul disdainfully turned over in a jiffy, and walked through the canvas out of doors. Then he went on a tour of inspection, and if not "Seeking whom he might devour," he certainly seemed willing to accommodate anybody or anything that might wish to set to. Meeting a pile of lumber in an adjoining yard, he quickly spread the boards in good shape for seasoning. Then meeting in his path one of the mules belonging to the company, he ran his tusks completely through its body, pinning it to the ground. The next obstruction in his majesty's path was a wagon belonging to Messrs Grether & Hall, which he scornfully seized with his trunk, and raising it, smashed it to pieces; then he returned to the dead mule, and again plunged his tusks through it and breaking off one of his tusks close to the jaw sauntering carelessly into State street, with none to molest or to make him afraid, the crowd following at a safe distance behind, while before him everybody seemed to be very busy in getting out of his way. The keeper and other attaches of the menagerie soon rallied, and by strategy and good tactics he was induced to enter a field belonging to Mr. Camp, thence into an orchard, where he indulged in the pastime of tearing and smashing whole lengths of picket fence. The novel mode of subduing him, temporarily, by shooting him in the face and trunk with buckshot, was adopted. Some fifty heavy charges were fired at him; the stinging effect acted well as a slight check upon his operations, during which his keeper fearlessly approached and chained him to an apple tree about twelve inches in diameter, which was no sooner discovered by the enraged animal than he instantly, and without apparent effort, but with the greatest ease, tore it up by the roots, and again created the greatest consternation among the immense crowd which had now collected in the immediate vicinity. All went, and stood not on the order of going, but some tall running was done, and some laughable incidents occurred in the stampede, leaving the ground free to Mogul and his would-be captors. He was, by great daring and agility on the part of his keeper, again secured by chaining his hind feet to a very large tree; here he was left for the night, and a guard stationed with rifles loaded with ball, to kill him should he again break loose during the night. He was evidently much chagrined at his confinement, and continued to snort and struggle to break the chain, affording much excitement throughout the city during the entire night; but fortunately he was held until five o'clock this morning, when his keeper, with the assistance of the entire force of the concern and about 500 citizens, undertook the job of punishing and subduing the monster. Large ropes and chains were procured, and after many attempts, in which the same were broken quite easily, he was finally, at the end of two hours, thrown down and secured in that position, when simultaneously his beating began by a dozen strong men with clubs, iron bars, spears and pitchforks, and continued until the men were exhausted, and again renewed from time to time for about two hours, at which time, after many wounds and pounding enough to seemingly kill him, he was as obstinate as ever. Refusing to surrender, he was left to his own reflections in this condition, and the beating abated for a time. At the present time of writing (12 hours) he seems determined not to succumb. A choice he has of doing so or being killed, as in his dangerous mood he will not be allowed to rise without evidence of a change of heart. It is estimated that the damage done in his tantrum will cost over $700. Fortunate it is that no lives were lost.

RAILROAD PROGRESS.—So far as the twenty-five-mile contract is concerned, we feel warranted to announce that it is an almost accomplished fact!

This week the grading was completed all along the line, and the teams and gangs discharged.

The Toutle river bridge is in course of construction, and will be finished this week. As every part of this bridge was framed and ready, its erection costs but little time.

The weather has been rather too wet lately for railroad and other out-door work to progress as fast as desired under other circumstances, but still there is no cessation of the diff-rent lines of what seems to be the programme.

The construction train has been running night and day loaded with material for what we may term adjunct purposes, composed of "cattle guards," telegraph poles, varities of crossing plank, sway-bars, etc.

The telegraph poles are being set along the line from the Cowlitz toward Kalama, and will be finished up to town this week.

A gravel train is at work below on the line, putting the track in order where it is necessary.

Section gangs are diligently employed at leveling and tamping the track where the grade may settle from any cause.

The passenger car will be on hand by the first of the year, with the new locomotives, as heretofore announced.

Eighteen miles of track is laid, and there is about two miles of iron on hand, which is to be put down next week.

There is a lack of four miles of iron to complete the twenty-five miles, which is now on the way here from San Francisco, on board the bark Webfoot and two or three other vessels which may be expected to arrive in a few days—or, indeed, hourly, as the prevailing southerly winds will favor quick passage to the Columbia. The Webfoot cleared last Saturday.

On Mr. Montgomery's ten-mile extension he has commenced work, having removed six gangs of Chinese to it from the finished adjoining road. The labor on this contract is to be continued all winter. There are very heavy excavations and fillings on this contract; we are informed that this ten miles will require nearly as much outlay of labor as the whole thirty miles adjoining northern extension.

Mr. Montgomery is having a large steam sawmill put on his contract, for the purpose of sawing the necessary material of the road

The clearing and grubbing on the line is in regular progress, with an aggregate force of about a hundred hands.—*Exchange.*

Japan.

THE PROGRESSIVE GOVERNOR CONTINUES TO PROGRESS.

Governor Mutza, the newly appointed Governor of Kanagawa, has been elected a member of the Yokohama United Club and is a general favorite among foreigners He is thoroughly progressive.

By command of the Mikado, a levee was held at the Palace on Monday, Oct. 23d, when the several Princes now in Yedo were presented to His Imperial Majesty. At the conclusion of the levee an address was presented to the Emperor by the Prince of Satsuma, on behalf of himself and the other Princes, congratulating His Majesty on the important measures recently passed for the advancement of the Empire, and the consolidation of his power.

The Mikado replied, and then rode out with them for three hours, to inspect the site for the Naval Hospital and college about to be built. He took with him but a very few retainers, and the following day rode, four-in-hand, with only four attendants. He has since walked out in Yedo nearly unattended, and has issued an order forbidding those who meet him from practicing any of these ceremonies and obeisances which formerly were required by law. He wishes to walk out like other people. The former Princes are now following his example, moving about without annoyance, and with none of the cares of State on their minds, they seem to enjoy themselves like school boys released from their tasks.

The *Mail* (Yokhama) of October 28th says: We hear that three different postmen carrying Government despatches along the Tokaido have been assassinated and the despatches stolen. The postal system is now extended from Osaka as far as Shirmonoseki.

The Japan *Herald* has the following items.

All existing treaties to take effect on and after July 1st, 1872.

It is rumored that the Government intends to occupy the large Yedo Hotel as a Japenese school house. There are already five colleges in Yedo. each of which has from 1,500 to 3,000 pupils studying foreign languages and the sciences.

A. GILMORE, Merchant Tailor, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel, Government street, four doors from Yates street, where he is prepared to sell, at reduced rates, Custom Made Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods. Also, Garments made to order, according to the Latest Styles. *

CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.—At Noltemeier's boot and shoe store, Government street, south of the St. Nicholas building, it is really worth going to see how low the goods are sold there. Everything is of the newest tyles and made of the best material. *

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Frame,
ALBUMS,
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2 Sets London Society, 30 Vol. each
1 Case Standard Novels.
Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc
Particulars on Tuesday.
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NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Montague W. Tyrwhitt Drake, Robert Edwin Jackson and Hugh Bewisbey Willson Aikman is dissolved by mutual consent, in consequence of Mr. Aikman having accepted the position of Registrar General of Titles.

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Due notice will be given of the date on which the Light will be re-lit.

J. W. TRUTCH,
for the Minister of Marine & Fisheries.
16th November, 1871. no17

Notice.

BARK MOUNTAIN ASH FROM London. Neither the Captain nor the undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

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To the Electors of Yale-Lytton and Kootenay District.

GENTLEMEN:—In compliance with the request of a number of the electors of the above district, I have much pleasure in offering myself as a candidate for the honor of representing you in the House of Commons at Ottawa.

Your interests being so closely identified with my own affords you the surest guarantee that they will at all times receive my best attention and support; but as it is difficult to say at present what matters may come before the House at Ottawa, this session, I shall confine my remarks to a few leading subjects, which I consider most essential to the welfare of this Province, and especially that portion of it which I seek to represent.

I shall endeavor to procure a regular and efficient Mail Service throughout the populous portions of the District.

I shall support any measures brought forward by the Local House for the establishment of a Liberal School System throughout the Province and the appropriation of the necessary funds from the general revenue.

I am in favor of the appointment of County Court Judges in this Province.

I am opposed to the Civil List Act in its present form and should it become matter for legislation at Ottawa I shall advocate its repeal or amendment.

I shall give my support to the Dominion Government so long as it shall endeavor fairly and honorably to carry out the terms of Union, especially with regard to the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

In conclusion I promise that should you do me the honor of entrusting me with your interests, I shall at all times endeavor to prove myself worthy of your confidence.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

Esquimalt Graving Dock.

THE GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH Columbia invite tenders to be sent in to the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, up to noon of the 20th day of March, 1872, for the construction of a Graving Dock at Esquimalt, British Columbia, under the guarantee provided in the twelfth section of the Terms of Union of this Province with the Dominion of Canada, which section is in the following words:

"The Dominion Government shall guarantee the interest for ten years, from the date of the completion of the works at the rate of five per cent per annum on such sums not exceeding £100,000 sterling, as may be required for the construction of a first class Graving Dock at Esquimalt."

The Dock is to be of a clear length of not less than 450 feet, a clear breadth of 90 feet at top and 50 at bottom, and affording a depth of water, at ordinary high tide, of not less than 24 feet on the sill, and to be substantially built upon a site to be selected and provided by the party or parties tendering; subject to the approval of the Government. Parties tendering are required to specify the time within which they propose to complete the Dock.

Tenders are to be sealed, superscribed "Tenders for Esquimalt Graving Dock," and addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, British Columbia, and accompanied by plans and drawings, shewing the exact dimensions of the Dock proposed to be built, the mode of construction and materials to be used therein.

Parties desirous of tendering, but who may decline to do so under the guarantee above named as insufficient, are invited to tender on the basis of such supplemental guarantee by the Provincial Government or other financial inducement as they may suggest.

Lands and Works Office, 20th November, 1871.
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Give him a look up! All kinds of

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GENTLEMEN GOING TO ESQUIMALT will find the best of

Wines, Liquors and Cigars,

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Parties visiting the above place can go upon top of the brick building and see all over the harbor,
no17 WM. SELLECK.

Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, to Wit.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Special Petty Session of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace in and for the said Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, will be held at the Police Court Victoria, on Thursday the 28th December, inst., at the hour of Twelve noon, for the purpose of granting Licenses for the Sale of Wines, Spirits, &c., by retail, during the ensuing half year.

H. B. GOOD,
Clerk of the Bench of Magistrates.
Victoria, V. I., B.C., 4th December, 1871. dec5

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

FARMERS.

Mr. James Bryden will commence running my

FLOUR MILL

next week, and will continue the same so long as there is Wheat to keep it going.

se29 A. BUNSTER.

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MILLINERY & DRESSMAKING

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Monthly Tickets for Gentlemen	$6 00
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ALL KINDS OF LEATHER,

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oc28tf S. DRIARD, Proprietor.

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Dyed, Cleaned and Curled,

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SPARKLING MOSELLE,
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MUSTARD & STARCH,
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TEA—Congou and Young Hyson,
CHICORY POWDER,
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BLANKETS—2½ point White, Green, Blue, Black, and Scarlet, 3 Point Green.
CARPETS AND HEARTH RUGS,
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INDIAN MUSKETS,
WHITE LEAD No. 1 and 2,
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EARTHENWARE in Crates,
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BLACKSMITH'S COALS, &c., &c.
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FASHIONABLE CLOTHING

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HAS RECEIVED PER PRINCESS ROYAL, A LARGE AND WELL ASSORTED Stock of

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of the Latest Fashions from England, New York and San Francisco, consisting of

FINE CASSIMERE SUITS,
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BEST QUALITIES WHITE SHIRTS,
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All of which I offer for Sale at a small advance on Cost.
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Of the best brands, dispensed at the Bar.

In the Saloon are three of Phelan's best

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Rudolph,

JEWELLER,
Government Street, Victoria, V. I.
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ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF the late Jos. B. Betts, otherwise Joseph Graham, are requested to be delivered in detail to the undersigned forthwith, and all debts due to the deceased to be paid to
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Wanted.

A LAD BETWEEN TWELVE AND 13 years of age, wishes for a situation either in a store or office to make himself generally useful.
Apply at this office. no14

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HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR WHEAT, by
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THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE

PAID FOR

Furs, Hides, Wool, Sheepskins and Calfskins,

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BOOTS made to order in the most approved style from the best Material.

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DEALER IN

STOVES, TIN & IRONWARE

AND

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Has removed to the

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(Lately occupied by L. Franklin)

On Yates Street adjoining A. Casamayou & Co

A Large Stock of Goods in His Line on Hand or Made to Order.
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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING RETURNED from San Francisco, begs to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has resumed business at his old stand, and

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of every description always on hand, which will repay inspection of intending purchasers.

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Will find this the most delightfully situated Hotel in Victoria.

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Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

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oc7 J. SMITH.

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HAMS (Sugar Cured),
DRIED APPLES,
OATMEAL,
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The rooms have all been refurnished, and particular attention is paid to cleanliness and good order.

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Sandwich Islands Produce

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